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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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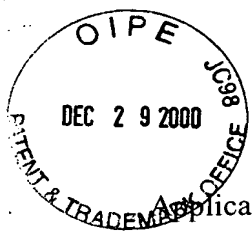
  
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Application No.: 09/657,604

Group Art Unit: 2161

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
FACILITATING ACCESS BY  
SELLERS TO  
CERTIFICATE-RELATED  
AND OTHER SERVICES

Attorney Docket No.: 10003-016-999

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL  
APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed on November 6, 2000, a copy of which is enclosed, please find an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for each of the named inventors in the above-identified application.

The time set for responding to the Notice was January 6, 2001. Accordingly, applicants believe that this Response is timely. Please charge the surcharge for filing the declarations on a date later than the filing date of the application to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. Also, please charge any other fees for this Response and for the accompanying Petition to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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